Appendix H. Draft AUAR Comment Letters

Three state agencies, five local units of government, two business ventures, one citizen group and one citizen submitted comment letters on the I-35E Corridor Draft AUAR. As required by MN Rules, the Responsible Governmental Unit (RGU) must provide replies to comments that are *substantive* (involving matters with major or practical importance). The "Response to Comments" element of the Final AUAR provides responses to each *substantive* comment received. All non-substantive comments are duly noted for the record and are not necessarily addressed in the responses in or in the Final AUAR document.

The location of the responses to substantive comments is tracked on each comment letter included in this appendix. This provides commenters and/or reviewers a system to easily determine where their substantive comments were addressed. The following is a reference table for the tracking system.

Tracking System Example ¹	Location of response to substantive comments
12.1	The response to the comment is included under Item 12 , comment number 1, in the response to comments section of the Final AUAR
21.3	The response to the comment is included under Item 21 , comment number 3 , in the response to comments section of the Final AUAR

¹ The tracking code is written next to paragraphs containing substantive comment within each comment letter

Copies of all comment letters submitted are included in this appendix in the order shown below.

Agency/Organization/Citizen	Letter Dated	Signatory
Washington County Department of Transportation and Physical	July 25, 2005	Mike Rogers
Development (Washington County)		
Brit-Vue, LLP	July 28, 2005	Bruce Houle
		Gene Houle
		Jennifer Lundquist
Emmons & Olivier Resources for Rice Creek Watershed District	July 28, 2005	Marcey L.
(RCWD)		Westrick
County of Anoka Public Services Division Highway Department	August 1, 2005	Lance H. Bernard
(Anoka County)		
City of Hugo	August 1, 2005	Andrew Gitzlaff
HERON Group	August 2, 2005	Barbara Bor
		Sylvia Marier
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (MnDNR)	August 3, 2005	Matt Langan
Metropolitan Council	August 3, 2005	Phyllis Hanson
Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) Metropolitan	August 3, 2005	Mary E. Jackson
District		
Village of Hardwood Creek, LLC	August 3, 2005	Greg Hayes
Wayne LeBlanc	August 4, 2005	Wayne LeBlanc